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AROUND THE TOWN

A large number of Didsbury people took in the excursion to Banff, on Friday last.

H. Sinclair of Munson, was a visitor in town the beginning of this week.

Miss Eva Knill of Paris, Ont., is visiting with her cousin, Mrs. W. G. Moore.

Messrs. Stark & Son expect moving into their new pool hall and barber shop on Thursday.

Mrs. Nixon, who has been visiting friends in California for some months, returned home this evening.

All members of the baseball team are kindly requested to hand in their uniforms to Secretary J. Pirie.

Children's Day will be observed in the Evangelical church, Westcott, next Sunday evening, August 2nd, at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

Miss M. Bauer announces she will have her millinery parlors in new premises for fall season, and will be open for business some time in August. Watch for further notice.

Mr. Olaf Arneson of Bergen, left a sample of Atkins at this office on Saturday last to show what they can grow in the west country. It is about two and a half feet high and is well headed out.

Seven hundred homeseekers left the Union Station, Toronto, on the evening of the 21st. The party is made up of men, women and children from towns in Ontario who are coming west seeking new homes.

Mrs. W. R. Junkins has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Studer for the past few weeks. Mrs. Junkins sang a solo in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening, entitled "The Holy City" which was very much appreciated by the congregation.

A very pleasant afternoon was spent on Tuesday, July 21st, at the home of Mrs. J. V. Berscht, Supt. Cradle Roll Dept., Evangelical Sunday school, who entertained the babies of the cradle roll with their mothers, sparing no efforts to make this occasion a success.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simon and daughter of Salem, Oregon, are visiting with Mr. W. F. Simon for a few weeks. In an interview with a Pioneer representative he said that the berries down there had all been picked and proved to be an abundant crop, and that they were only waiting now, for the peaches, pears and apples, of which there would also be a large yield.

Mr. E. A. Brubacker lost a valuable calf being struck by lightning. The animal was insured in the new local company, The Western Canada Mutual Insurance Co., and within a very short time after claim was made Mr. Brubacker received the full amount of his claim, which shows how prompt the Company is to meet its obligations without causing a lot of trouble to the insured.



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Children's Day.

Last Sunday was a red-letter day in the Evangelical church, the event being the observance of Children's Day. A programme, consisting of recitations, dialogues, addresses, and special music, was very ably rendered in the afternoon. A special feature of the day was the presence of Mr. F. E. Werry, Secretary of the Provincial Sunday School Association of Alberta, who gave an inspiring address in the afternoon and evening. The Didsbury Union Sunday School was also well represented and Mr. H. W. Chambers, the Superintendent, addressed the meeting in an able manner. An essay on "The Cradle Roll", by Mrs. J. V. Berscht, was particularly interesting. The choir rendered very efficient service. The Sunday school is under the efficient leadership of Mr. M. Weber, who also gave an encouraging address. The pastor Mr. Amacher, acted as chairman, and during the rendering of the programme made very encouraging and interesting remarks concerning the position of the Sunday school as a factor in the church.

In the evening service, Mr. Werry spoke on progressive Sunday school work in all the departments, devoting considerable attention to the "teen age." This address was highly appreciated.

MARRIED

FALK-DYCK—On Saturday, July 11th, 1914, Isaac Jacob Falk to Miss Annie Dyck, at Presbyterian manse, Didsbury.

BELLAMY-COWMAN—On Wednesday, July 22nd, 1914, Walter Carling Bellamy to Miss Grace Jennet Cowman at Presbyterian manse, Didsbury. Rev. D. H. Marshall officiating.

THE PIONEER, DIDSBURY, ALBERTA

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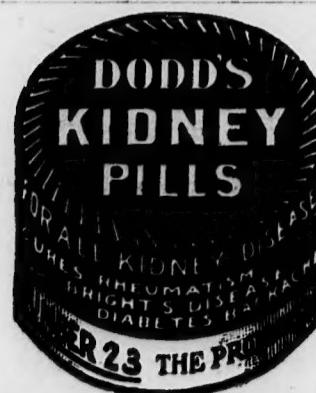
Diplomatic Letter

The wayward young man, broken in health, was sent to the southwest to recuperate. He was in jail for stealing a hind quarter of beef. He wrote home: "Dear Father—I've picked up some flesh since I came here, but am still confined to my room. Please send me \$100."—Exchange.

The most obstinate corns and warts fail to resist Holaway's Corn Cure. Try it.

Food Values

A pound of parsnips only gives 12 units of strength, while the same amount of skim milk will give 34 and of split peas 250.



W. N. U. 1009

Two Readings

A well known Parisian antiquary while on his holidays in Normandy came across an old farm which had a curious carving in the form of an armchair bearing over one of the stable doors. Beneath the carving was a wooden bar inscribed with a date. Examining it closely he found the latter to be 1801. All his antiquarian passions were aroused, needless to say, and after some bargaining the farmer sold him the carving for quite a sum. The next day, the farmer brought the trouvaille to the antiquary's villa. "This isn't what I bought!" exclaimed the purchaser. "It bears the date of 1801. I don't want it." "Excuse me, sir," replied the farmer, "it's the same, right enough. But the farmer who recently repaired it replaced the bar upside down, and I thought I ought to put it right for you." The antiquary was sporting enough not to go back on his bargain, but the facts of the case do not seem to speak highly of his antiquarian knowledge.—London Globe.

Pills For Nervous Troubles.—The stomach is the centre of the nervous system, and when the stomach suspends healthy action the result is manifest in disturbances of the nerves. If allowed to persist, nervous debility, a dangerous ailment may ensue. The first consideration is to restore the stomach to proper action, and there is no readier remedy for this than Parmelec's Vegetable Pills. Thousands can attest the virtue of these pills in curing nervous disorders.

Solid Granite

The inquisitive traveler kept poking his head out the window of the car to the great annoyance of the conductor who several times stopped to warn him against the danger. At length he tapped the careless one on the shoulder and said:

"Pardon me, but this time I must insist that you withdraw your head."

Insolently the traveler spoke back over his shoulder without complying with the request:

"Why?"

"Oh," said the conductor, nettled, "we are coming to a bridge, and I don't want any of the girders damaged by your head."

And then the head came in.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Japan Censors Books

In Japan the censorship of novels is not exercised by the libraries, but by a government official who is empowered to prosecute offending authors as well as forbid the sale of their books. Not long ago the author of a Japanese novel called "The Great City" was brought before the court for giving too realistic a description of life in Tokio. His counsel used the old arguments about the indefensibility of literature and the ennobling of everything by art. But the case was given against the author. Even some of Moliere's works have been forbidden to circulate in Japan, the ground of offense being the lack of respect shown by wives toward their husbands and by sons toward their fathers.

Verlaine and the Burglars

According to a contemporary, a Paris beggar, seeing an old man about to give him a halfpenny, showed his contempt for the gift by taking a silver coin from his own pocket and bestowing it on the almsgiver. Let us hope the recipient fared better than Paul Verlaine did under somewhat similar circumstances. One night the poet woke up to find a couple of burglars in his room. Shortly before he had been driven by poverty to sell every stick of furniture and was reduced to sleeping on a sack. His visitors were so touched by this evidence of dire poverty that they gave him a franc apiece and took their departure. "Unfortunately," Verlaine had to admit when he related the story, "both the coins were bad ones."—London Tatler.

Water From the Yangtze

There is a saying in China that to make a perfect cup of tea you must take leaves from Mingshan and water from the Yangtze. No one supposed the actual turbid river water to be meant, but no one could explain the proverb until De Rostherm, who wrote an interesting treatise on Chinese tea, solved the problem or thought he did. De Rostherm was once crossing the Yangtze near its mouth, at Chieniang, when he saw some men in a boat dipping water into buckets. He inquired why they did that and was told that at the bottom of the bay there was a spring, remembered since the time when the present river bed was dry land, and that this spring water was highly esteemed in cookery. Here, then, he concluded, he had found that special water of the Yangtze which, with Mingshan leaves, made the best cup of tea in the world.

Malapropian

Visitor—Your husband gets a lot of sentiment out of pipe.
Mrs. Richquic—Goodness, yet! It is perfectly disgusting to see him clean it.—Judge.

The Dragon Fly

Perhaps the most wonderful of all insects is the dragon fly. It goes through the air at the rate of sixty miles an hour and can stop instantly or can change its course backward or sideways without lessening its speed or changing the position of its body.

Customer—I want something for fleas.
Drug Clerk—Why don't you get a dog?—Judge.

GUARD BABY'S HEALTH

IN THE SUMMER

The summer months are the most dangerous to little ones. The complaints of that season which are cholera infantum, diarrhoea and dysentery come on so quickly that often a little one is beyond aid before the mother realizes he is really ill. The mother must be on her guard to prevent these troubles or if they do come on suddenly to cure them. No other medicine is of such aid to the mother during hot weather as is Baby's Own Tablets. They regulate the bowels and stomach and are absolutely safe. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

High Finance

"Neddy is an awfully good natured fellow, but he has one failing. You can always touch him for a loan, but if you lend him some money he invariably forgets to repay it."

"I know old top. Whenever he owes me some money I never ask him to repay it. I just borrow it back in installments."

"I've overdrawn my account \$10."—New York Sun.

It Shocked Dickens

Survivors of great railway accidents do not readily forget the experience. Charles Dickens did not, when on June 9, 1865, a train fell through the bridge at Staplehurst, England, and the carriage in which he was travelling, hung over the side. He acted with great coolness and courage, helping to extricate the wounded and then scrambling back to rescue the manuscript of "Our Mutual Friend." But, though uninjured, he never recovered from the shock. Afterward, when travelling, as his daughter relates, "he would often suddenly fall into a paroxysm of fear, clutch the arms of the railway carriage, large beads of perspiration standing on his face and suffer agonies of terror." Dickens died on the anniversary of the accident, five years later.

A Slur at the Cuisine

"It's a pity there weren't cooking schools in the time of Adam and Eve."

"Why?" asked his wife.

"I don't believe Adam would ever have eaten that apple if Eve had baked it in a pie."

Salt and Fresh Water Lakes

Fresh water lakes are always only expansions of rivers, due to the particular topographical configuration of a valley. They are all characterized by the fact that the water that they receive runs out either continuously or intermittently and that the chemical constitution of their water remains constantly the same as that of the streams and rivers of the same region. Salt lakes, on the other hand, are always closed basins, without outlet, and their water is removed only by surface evaporation. These facts being well understood, we see at once why the former lakes contain fresh water and the others salt water. Water is nature's great solvent. Hardly a single substance, simple or compound, escapes its dissolving action. Consequently the water that flows over the earth's surface or in its depths contains constantly in solution substances that finally accumulate in the great common reservoir, the ocean, whose mass, removed only by evaporation, becomes more and more charged with saline matter.

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never fail. Purely vegetable—act surely

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Stop after dinner

distress—cure indi-

gension—improve the complexion—brighten the eyes. Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price.

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Brentwood

A Hearty Welcome

Mrs. Clay telephoned to a friend that she would come down and spend the day.

"Well, here I am," she exclaimed cheerily as the little daughter of the hostess opened the door.

"Yes," replied the child: "I'm glad to see you, and I know mother will be glad, too, for she said this morning when you phoned that she was chankful she was going to have the visit over with."—Lippincott's.

Splinters and Finger Nails

When a splinter gets under a finger nail it is often very hard to draw out. In such a case if a cold water bandage is put round the top of the finger and then kept wet and cold it will in time both draw out the splinter and keep the finger from festering.

Hard Luck

Husband comes in to find his wife turning everything topsy turvy.

"Gracious, Isabel; What are you doing?"

"I just received a telegram from Aunt Jane saying she'll be here at 6.30, and I can't find her photograph anywhere."—Chicago News.

Cohen—Hands up, or I'll shoot!

Quick-witted Burglar—Fifty dollars for de gun!

Cohen—Sold!—Gargoyle.

Constant Headaches From Exhausted Nerves

Appetite Poor—Digestion Bad—Daily Grew Weaker—Lost Faith in Medicine

Headache is a symptom and not a disease in itself. True, relief may be obtained by the use of powerful opiates but the shock to the nerves is tremendous and the result a further weakening of the system.

To really cure headache it is absolutely necessary that the exhausted nerves be restored and revitalized. This can best be accomplished by the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. The benefits are both:

Mr. Charles Donneral, Kleinburg, Ont., writes:—"I wish to communicate to you the great cure which I have received from Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I was a sufferer from headaches for over two years. I took medicines from physicians and yet the headaches persisted and I was rarely free from them. About a year ago, I saw one of Dr. Chase's Medicine Books, and I thought I would try his Nerve Food. I did so, and I must confess with very little faith, but after I had taken a box, my headaches were easier, and after I had taken two boxes they left me. My appetite was always poor and my stomach was bad, and now my appetite is splendid and my digestion is excellent. I had become thin and weak from the constant headaches, but now not only have I been cured of all them, but my strength is growing once more, and I feel like a new man. I am exceedingly grateful to Dr. Chase's Nerve Food for curing me. I give this testimonial with great pleasure as I hope thereby some other sufferer from headaches will be induced to try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and will be cured."

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Buying at Home is Lending Your Money Back to your-self

When you walk down town and make a purchase from a local merchant, don't run away with the idea that you are conferring a favor on the man who sells you the goods by patronizing his store.

You're not by any means. You are simply doing your duty by the city which is giving you your bread and butter. You're following out the old rule of, "LIVE and let LIVE."

There never was a truer word spoken than the dictum, "No Man Liveth Unto Himself."

You couldn't live alone in this world or in this town any longer than it would take you to starve to death or go crazy.

You've got to depend on others and others must depend on you.

Could you get out and pave your own street?

Of course you couldn't.

Then who pays for the paving of that street? You put up some of the cost, but your neighbors foot the biggest part of the bill.

Who are your neighbors?

One of them's a grocer, another sells furniture, a third makes his living by exchanging dry goods for money. If you don't buy from there how do you suppose they are going to get coin to pay for laying pavement in front of your house?

Does the man who lives somewhere else whose store you support pay a red cent towards supplying you with water, light, sidewalks, good roads, sewerage, parks, etc?

Not much he doesn't

He can't afford to. He has to pay his share of those things in another town. He helps to foot the bill for sidewalks on which you never have walked; for roads over which you never have driven; for light you seldom, if ever, use; for water you rarely drink.

You can't get away from it, no matter how you try.

Your hand goes into your pocket several times a day. Every time it comes out it has Didsbury money in it. True, you earned it, but you couldn't have earned it in Didsbury if there had not been a town here, therefore you owe something to the town for providing you with the means of earning a living. The stores in a town are part of it, you owe something to the stores.

At least, look at the goods in Didsbury stores before you look elsewhere to buy... Will you help?—Ex.

Card of Thanks

The Didsbury Citizens' Band wish to tender their sincere thanks to Mr. A. G. Studer for so kindly placing his store at their disposal for the holding of a dance on the 21st inst.

The receipts and disbursements of same are as follows.

RECEIPTS..... \$51.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Printing, Distributing \$ 5.50

Lunch..... 15.75

Piano, Rent, Moving 4.00

Light..... 2.50

..... 27.75

Balance..... 23.45

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A. Z. WEBER, Sec.-Treas.

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Fake Marking of Butter

A matter that is of importance to cheese and buttermakers is the change in the Dairy Industry Act of Canada, which becomes effective on September 1st next. The change is designed to prevent the false marking and sale of butter and cheese.

It is required that whey butter, a mixture of whey butter with creamery or dairy butter, or butter manufactured from a mixture of ordinary cream separated from milk and cream separated from whey, must all be branded legibly with the words "whey butter" when packed.

Dairy butter mixed with creamery, dairy butter packed in boxes similar to those used for creamery, or cut into pound prints and wrapped in parchment paper, must be legibly branded with the words "dairy butter." Cheese manufactured from skim milk or milk from which any cream has been removed, or milk to which skim milk has been added, must be branded on the side of each cheese before it leaves the factory with the words "skim milk cheese."

No person shall apply any brand or the word "Canadian," or "Canadien," or "Canada," as a descriptive term on butter or cheese boxes or packages, unless the cheese or butter has been actually produced in Canada, or give false information as to place of manufacture.

A fine of not less than \$10 or more than \$30 is fixed for each offence — Nor-West Farmer.

Zella School

The following is the record of the students of Zella school who were successful in securing a pass mark and good bonus in the examinations held at end of June.

Grade VII—Will Fraser.
Grade V—Esther Mekleburg, Nina Hyde, Fred Winship.

Grade IV—Pearl Ruby, Earl Ruby, Olive Hyde.

NEAL GRANT, Teacher.

Liberal Convention

By resolution of the Executive Committee of the Alberta Liberal Association, a general convention of the Liberals of Alberta will be held in Al Azhar Temple, No. 506 Seventeenth Avenue West, Calgary, on Wednesday the 5th day of August, at 3 p.m.

The convention will be open to all Liberals in Alberta, and all are cordially invited to attend. In the event of a poll being demanded on any motion, ten voting delegates will be allowed to each of the new Alberta Federal Constituencies. If only ten or less delegates attend from a constituency, these will all be voting delegates. If more than ten delegates attend, all present from that constituency will elect ten voting delegates. The executive committee felt that as the Liberal associations in the new constituencies were not yet organized, this would be the simplest method of securing a good convention.

The business of the convention will be the election of officers and the organization of the new constituencies. Arrangements are being made for special rates on all railways, and delegates should purchase single fare tickets to Calgary, and ask their station agent for a convention certificate.

To Assist Sheep Raisers

In an effort to assist the sheep raisers in Alberta and to promote the exportation of wool to eastern points, Industrial Commissioner George M. Hall, of Edmonton, is compiling a list of the stock men raising sheep in Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba. These lists when complete will be forwarded to the big wool buyers of the east.

That these eastern manufacturers have their eyes turned toward the west as a source of wool supply is indicated by queries recently received in the industrial commissioner's office.

Frank A. Mason, representing Holliswell, Jones and Donald, wool merchants of Boston, Mass., was in Edmonton recently and expected to contract for shipments of Alberta wool. Several others have written for information on the subject.

The Edmonton Exhibition

Tales of "Old Smokey's" jumping performance at the Edmonton Spring Horse Show of 1914 will be handed down through the years to come, and Old Smokey who accomplished some of the most remarkable feats ever witnessed in the show ring, occupies the place of honor on the banner for the Edmonton summer exhibition, Aug. 10th-15th.

When "Smokey" surpassed even the most sanguine expectations of the assembled eyes of Alberta, the exhibition association felt that his performance was most typical of what was in store for visitors to the coming exhibition, and his photo taken while being ridden over the hurdles at the exhibition of 1912, by Miss Helen McDonald, was chosen accordingly. In every line of exhibit, in every class of amusement and entertainment, the association is preparing to surpass the expectation of everyone attending the fair.

The list of attractions which has been engaged from Chicago to play before the grandstand every afternoon and evening, contains special features which are equally amusing and entertaining; and will while away the time between the races. The races promise to be more keenly contested than ever were races on the Edmonton track.

As in the past, the military tattoo will be a fitting conclusion to the splendid programme arranged for each evening. This will be conducted by Mr. Ross of Toronto, and will include regiments from the armies of England, Canada, Germany, France, and the United States. A detachment of the Alberta Dragoons will engage in the tattoo this year, and the spectacular effect will be greatly enhanced thereby. The Alberta Dragoons will also put on a musical ride, both afternoon and evening every day of the exhibition.

The Parker shows which will occupy the Midway are known from coast to coast, and need no further description.

Excursion rates have been arranged for all railways running into Edmonton, and visitors from outside points will be enabled to make their annual holiday trip to the exhibition at a trifling cost.

Prize lists may be obtained on application to W. J. Stark, Manager, Box 216, Edmonton.

RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF WESTERDALE No. 311 Assessment Roll of 1914

Notice is hereby given that the Assessment Roll of the Rural Municipality of Westerdale No. 311 for the year 1914 has been prepared and is now open to inspection at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer of the municipality from ten o'clock in the forenoon to four o'clock in the afternoon on every day which is not a public holiday except Saturday (and on that day from ten o'clock in the morning to twelve o'clock noon) and that any Ratepayer who desires to object to the assessment of himself or of any other person must within twenty days after the date of this notice lodge his complaint in writing at my office.

Dated this 30th Day of June 1914.
A. MCNAUGHTON,
Assessor

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LARGE tract of good valley farming land just thrown open for free settlement in Oregon. Over 200,000 acres in all. Good climate, rich soil, and does not require irrigation to raise finest crops of grain, fruit and garden truck. For large map, full instructions and information, and a plat of several sections of exceptionally good claims, send \$3.40 to John Keele, Oregon City, Oregon. Three years a U. S. surveyor and timberman. An opportunity to get a good fertile free homestead near town and market.



King Hiram Lodge No. 21, A.F.&A.M. Meets every Tuesday evening on or before full moon. All visiting brethren welcome.
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DIDSBURY LODGE NO. 18, I.O.O.F. Meets in Fraternity Hall, Didsbury, every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock sharp. Visiting Oddfellows always welcome.
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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

THE sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at the office of any Local Agent of Dominion Lands (not sub-agent), on certain conditions.

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CHAPTER V.

Kate Jessop painted as she walked. Once or twice Mrs. Russell heard her murmur under her breath—

"To think on it! To think that it's herself—Miss Barbara—my Miss Barbara—mine. Oh, to think on it!"

The distance between Chesney street and Vauxhall Bridge Road was, as regarded space, nothing at all. It was but to walk down a certain street, and cross a broad bend of road to find oneself in Vauxhall Bridge Road and finally at 124b. In point of distance it was surely no distance at all. But in point of morals and all that was respectable and, so to speak, genteel, the distance between Chesney street and Vauxhall Bridge Road was as the moon is apart from the sun, for in one street you could live, and hold up your head and put on little airs and be considered by your neighbors of Chesney street "no end of a fine sort," whereas Chesney street always, so to speak, lay low. There was no pride about the inhabitants of the latter street. Strange as it may have seemed to the Chesneyites, there were people in vast London who even looked down upon the inhabitants of Vauxhall Bridge Road, but then they were the grand nobility, the fine folks with their fine feathers and smooth rolling carriages, and money more than they knew how to spend. The fact was that Vauxhall Bridge Road was near enough to Chesney street to be in a manner affected by it, and Chesney street was near enough to Vauxhall Bridge Road to look up to it as most aristocratic quarter.

When Mrs. Russell ran up the steps to her own house—that house which she kept going by the honest sweat of her brow, by uncasing toil, by good nature, and by a shrewd, sharp eye to business—Kate followed her almost meekly. The house was very "gentle" so Kate thought in her heart of hearts. It was, in short, a fit place for Miss Barbara Chance to take lodgings in.

Kate was so excited at the thought of seeing Barbara that she did not pause to wonder what could have brought her young lady from the beautiful country, from the air laden with sea breezes, from all the charms of Worthington-on-the-Hill to London. Mrs. Russell said, when they entered the house,

"Now, you come upstairs along o' me, gel, and mind you don't stay long; for the pretty dear, she wants her sleep, and shall have it, and your coming here once jest to oblige the pore dear is no reason why you're to coma again. You jest remember that, Kate Jessop. I ha' asked you here once, but that don't mean tahn I'm a goin' to ask yer here ever again. Ah, 'er we be. Here's her room—Go right in. I'll come and fetch yer in 'alf an hour. No longer must yer stay. Go in now, and look slippy."

Kate tapped at the door. She remembered that at the Rectory it was correct, before you entered a lady's bedroom, to do so. She tapped now

with knuckles that trembled. She was a big girl—very strong and well made, with an abundance of muscle about her. She had great muscular arms and firm hands accustomed to lifting heavy trays and weights of every description.

The moment she knocked, she heard small feet running quickly towards the door. The next moment, it was flung open, and Barbara, in her black dress, with her sweet pale face, stood before her.

"Oh, Miss Barbara! Miss Barbara!" said Kate.

"Kate, you have come!" said Barbara. "Is Mrs. Russell there? Oh, thank you, dear Mrs. Russell!"

Mrs. Russell heard the words, and felt compensated for all the trouble she had taken. She went downstairs unwillingly. She would have given a great deal to listen to the conversation between the sweet young lady and that brawny lass. But she knew her manners, having been long ago herself in service, and she would not give way to undue curiosity or stoop to eavesdropping, such as listening at keyholes, etc., for all the world.

"Shut the door, Kate, and come here. I want to talk to you," said Barbara. Kate immediately did what she was told, then wrinkling her forehead, which was nearly destitute of eyebrows, she gave a quick glance round the room.

"My word," she said. "And what be you doin' ere, Miss, in a place like this?"

"I've a great deal to tell you," answered Barbara, "and the time is very short. Sit down on that chair, Kate; and, Kate, you needn't say 'miss' any more. You must call me Barbara in future, for I—her voice shook a little—"I am the same as you now, Kate. I am a working girl. I've come to London to work—to earn money, Kate; you understand."

"No, that I don't," replied Kate. "It makes a sort of fuzzy-wuzzy in my head to hear yer talk, Miss Barbara. When I left the Rectory, there was the Rector, and—and Joan, and the other servants, and there was you, miss, and there was everything so beauteous and grand. What do this mean? What do it mean, Miss Barbara?"

"Kate," said Barbara. She stood up as she spoke; she held out both her hands; she held them out invitingly. Kate could not withstand the temptation. Miss Barbara was, to her, as a real princess; but when she held out her hands, the love in Kate's heart was so enormous that she could not but clasp them. She did, and so firmly that the girl shrank just for a minute from the pain of that harsh grip.

"Yes, I always knew you were strong," said Barbara. "I used to guess it when I was at home. Well, now, I will tell you about things, and you will have to listen."

"I'll do that, miss. I won't lose a word as drops from yer blessed voice."

"Well, then, I'll begin right away," said Barbara. "My dear father—I want to get over that part very quickly, Kate—he, he got ill, and—he—he is dead, Kate."

"Oh, my!" gasped Kate. "The Rectory dead! Won't he never preach no more in the beautiful church, nor speak so saint-like, nor look at ye so kind and Archangel Michael-like? I can't—somehow, I can't take it in, Miss Barbara."

"My father was a very good man," said Barbara. "And God has taken him to Himself. He is with God."

"Yes, Barbara. You can bear to talk of him without the tears rollin' down yer cheeks?"

"I can," said Barbara. "I feel it too deeply for mere tears to come."

"I sort o' understand," said Kate.

"Kate, he is dead; and after he died, I thought that I should have a little money—enough to live on quietly. I meant to stay at Worthington-on-the-Hill and take a wee house somewhere, and be near my friends. I have many friends there. I thought it could be managed; but last night, about this hour, I made a discovery."

"Lor', miss!"

"I can't tell it to you; it's a secret; but it is very serious. There was something done once, not right, and—and—I cannot possibly claim the money that my father has left. So I have put all the particulars with regard to the right use of the money—can you follow me, Kate?"

"Yus, miss; I'm a follerin'."

"I've put all the letters and everything else that is necessary into the hands of my father's men of business."

"Yus, miss—men o' business; was they gardeners? or—I'm a very big-norant gel, miss."

"No, they are called lawyers; that part doesn't matter. They have got full directions, and, in order to enable them to carry out what is necessary, I have gone away. I have a little money—just a little—with me, and in this room, and I want to earn my living, for the money won't last long. I thought of you—oh, quite suddenly, Kate, I wondered if by any chance you could help me, for I want to work very, very hard, and to keep the little money that is over as a nest egg, and I don't mind what I do, if only I do honest work. I want the people at Worthington-on-the-Hill to forget me, and I want to stay with you. Can I stay with you, Kate?"

"My word! My word!" said Kate.

She sank in a sort of heap on the floor, leaning up against the broken-down chair where she had seated herself, and buried her head against her knees.

"Let me think. I deasey I can find a way; but I must think; I'm a pore gel, Miss Barbara."

"Say, 'Barbara,' leave out the 'miss.'"

"I can't, I can't," said Kate. "It

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"You will learn to, after a little time, for you see I am a poor girl just like yourself. I know you are honest, Kate, and I was very fond of you when you lived at the Rectory; and you were fond of me."

"Fond? Don't yer talk o' fondness. It's a sort of a case of a gel giving up, so to speak, her life's blood for another. That's wot I feels for you—Bar—bara."

"Ah, that is right," said Barbara. "But I must think, all the same," continued Kate.

She sat very still. Mrs. Russell downstairs glanced from time to time at the clock. It would soon be time to turn that "hussy" who had her abode in Chesney street out of the house; but she would not be in too great a hurry. She would give the pretty lady a few minutes longer to talk to this most undesirable acquaintance.

"It's like this, you see, missy," said Kate, after she had reflected for a time. "I serves at Ferrie's."

"Ferrie's?" repeated Barbara, in a vague sort of voice. "Is that an A.B.C. shop?"

"Lor', miss," answered Kate, "it ain't naught so high as that. Ferries—well, Ferries is Ferries, and there's some as don't like him and some what do. He have a way with the gels, I'll say that, and ef they're free, why, he's freer, but I'd look after you, missy, ef I could get you in there. He's sort o' afraid of me, for I know one or two o' his secrets, and what's to the pint, keeps me safe in his shop is that I guess more. But you'd have no call to have aught to do with him, and ef I could get you tuk on, and I think I could, you'd get your ten shillings a week. You could live on that, couldn't you, missy?"

"I suppose so," answered Barbara, in a sad little voice when she added—

"Still, I don't know what they do at Ferries's."

"Restaurant work, miss, tea and bread-and-butter and scones and buttered toast and poached eggs and ham and meat pies and cocoa and coffee, and sechlike, to folks what come in and want them, from early morning till eight at night. After eight o'clock Ferries has his license, and sarves—oh, well, but we needn't go into that. You'd have naught to do with that. How much money ha' you got, Miss Barbara?"

"I can soon tell you," answered Barbara. She had put her little purse under her pillow.

"For the Lord's sake!" cried Kate, "don't open it without first a-lockin' the door." Ere, I a done it. Now, let's see what you a' got."

The deal table was brought forward. The tray, with the supper still untouched, was put for lack of a better place on the bed, and Barbara counted out her worldly all. Her ticket to town had cost between seventeen and eighteen shillings; her cab to the lawyer's office in Chancery Lane a couple of shillings more. The meal she had partaken of, her omnibus, and the money she had given to Mrs. Russell disposed of several further shillings. In short, she at the present moment possessed three pounds and a little over ten shillings.

"My word!" exclaimed Kae Jessop, "you ha' got a heap o' money in that ere pile! Why, you can manage fine for weakas and weakes to come."

"But, Kate, you don't quite understand. I must save this money. I don't want to spend another penny of it. Kate, have you ever heard of my nest egg for the rainy day? Well, this is my nest egg. Suppose, Kate, I put three pounds away—three pounds safely away—and spend the odd ten shillings until I got a post. I have paid Mrs. Russell a week in advance, and the ten shillings will pay for my food and for other things until I get a post, Kate, where I can earn money."

"Dearie me!" cried Kate, "you're rich. You ha' paid Mrs. Russell, you say. Then you will stay here in this fine place for a week—a week for sartin?"

"Well, I thought I might stay here altogether."

"How much do she put on you? How much be you beholden to her for?"

"She charges me eight shillings a week for this room."

Kate laughed. It was a strangled sort of laugh, which was, in reality, closely akin to tears.

(To be Continued)

"Do you love me enough to deny yourself anything for me?"

"Well, I've asked you to stop smoking and I'm saving the coupons"—Penny Magazine.

"Truly there is a tide in the affairs of men, but there is no gulf stream

—Lowell.

Breaking Out the Colors

A pretty sight aboard ship is the breaking out of the flags on reaching a port. At the appointed time a sailor takes his station at the foremast and another at the rear mast. In his hand is a small silken bundle, tightly rolled. This is sent aloft. When the signal to break out the colors is given a cord is pulled, the bundle unrolls, and a splendid silk flag flutters out into the breeze. At the foremast is that of the nation whose port the ship is entering, while that on the rear mast is the flag of the steamship company, the ship's nationality being advertised by a large flag at the stern. The latter is lowered or dipped by way of salute when another steamer is passed out in the ocean.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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"Mr. —" (mentioning the curate's name) "wants you at once, sir," he exclaimed. "He has married two couples and married the two men to the wrong women, and he does not know what to do!"

"Have they signed the register?" inquired the clergyman.

"No," was the verger's response.

"Then they can be married again," said the vicar. "Tell Mr. — I will be at the church in a minute or two to perform the ceremony."

In due course the incumbent made his way to the church and found the parties gathered at the entrance.

Before he could say anything one of the bridegrooms approached and said:

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The Way of the World

"I was walking down the street with a friend of mine the other morning," relates a man who is more than ordinary obnoxious. "And on our way we met another man, who was evidently acquainted with my friend. My friend addressed him cordially, but he responded rather distantly, I thought. But I said nothing about it. The next morning I again walked downtown with the same friend. And again we met the man we had met the day before. This time it was he who spoke cordially, and my friend who answered coldly. Indeed, my friend came very near to cutting him dead. This time I needed an explanation of the mystery."

"Are you paying him back for his coldness of yesterday?" I asked.

"No," answered my friend. "You see I have owed him money for some time. And last night I paid it."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

They were talking about the curiosities of servants the other night when Congressman Edward E. Brown of Wisconsin said the twist in the conversation reminded him of an incident that happened in a suburban home.

Some time ago, he said, Mrs. Smith summoned her colored maid to her room and asked her if the postman had left any mail. Belinda replied there was nothing but a postal card.

"A postal card!" exclaimed Mrs. Smith, wondering. "Who is it from?"

"Doan know, ma'am," was the innocent rejoinder of Belinda. "I didn't read it."

"Well, it's just this!" emphatically declared Mrs. Smith. "Anybody who sends me a message on a postal card is either very stupid or very thoughtless."

"Cuse me, ma'am," quickly interposed Belinda, with a hurt expression, "but do you fink dat's de right way to talk about your own mother?"

"Is Jones a friend in need?"

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"We wore a sibyl's resplendent turquoise paraphephallian, an ornate yashmak and astrakhan chaparejos. He drank crystallizable and disagreable curacao juleps through a sieve. He stole some moneys and hid them under a peddler's mahogany bedstead and mattress.

"Like a fiend in an ecstasy of gayety I rushed after him into the maelstrom, or melle, and held him as in a vise. I could not feaze him, however, and he addressed me, with autocraze, in the following imbecile words, which sound like a soliloquy or a superseding paean on an oboe: 'You are ratable lunamoth, a salaaming vizier, an equinoctial corphyte, and an isosceles daquerotype.'—New York Mail.

Alice Joyce, star in motion pictures, had an experience with a little negro girl a few days ago, which brings a chuckle wherever it is repeated.

Miss Joyce was on her way home after an arduous day's work. A little colored girl crying against a telephone pole aroused her sympathy. The charming star approached the girl and inquired the cause of the trouble. The child replied that her aunt had just driven her from the house.

"Where is your father?" asked Miss Joyce.

"Nevah had no pappy," was the reply.

"Well, where is your mother?"

"Daid," was the laconic answer.

Miss Joyce was touched. "Dead," she replied, pityingly.

"Yah! she done died beforah ah was bo'n!"

Yankee (on his first visit to the Victoria Falls)—Waal, I always reckoned that Niagara Falls was the last word, but compared to these they are nothing more than blooming perspiration!—London Opinion.

Willie was struggling through the story in his reading lesson. "No, it was not a sloop. It was a larger vessel, by its rig I judged it to be a—" The word was new to him.

"Barque," supplied the teacher.

Still Willie hesitated and looked bewildered.

"Barque! Barque!" repeated the teacher, this time sharply.

Willie looked as though he had not heard aright. Then, with an apprehensive look around the class, he shouted, "Bow-wow."

Perfect Candor

Tom Macpherson, Scotchman, who does carpentering for a living, asked his foreman for a day off, which was readily granted. Later the latter was informed that the workman had taken the holiday to get married, and upon his return to work questioned him about it.

"Aye, sir; I was awa' gettin' marri'd."

"That's fine," replied the foreman.

"I hope you got a richt, good wife, Tom."

"Weel, I maun say she is God's handwork, but she nae His masterpiece," answered the bridegroom with the air of one determined to do perfect justice and yet adhere to the truth.—Lippincott's Magazine.

Talking about a shortage of food at one period during his last expedition, Sir Ernest Shackleton tells an amusing story of one of his companions. On his return to England his bootmaker met him, and asked:

"How did you find those boots I made for you?"

"Best I eve' tasted," was the prompt reply.—Tl-Bits.

Sympathetic Friend (to gloomy batsman, disgusted at being given out for catch at the wicket—Wot's wrong Bill? Was it daftful?

Batsman—Daftful! I should think it was daftful. I could 'ardly 'ear it myself.—Punch.

The Professor—Well, my dear young lady, if you are interested I shall be only too pleased to show you my bacilli.

The Dear Young Lady—Oh, professor, how rippling! And may I come at feeding time?—Sketch.

Fair Lady (to lawyer)—Can I sue her for slander whether she proves what she said I said she said or not?—Judge.

"Had a puncture, my friend?" asked the passer-by, with an air of interest. The chauffeur looked up and swallowed his feelings with a huge gulp.

"No, sir," he replied. "I'm just changing the air in the tires. The other lot's worn out, you know."—Tl-Bits.

"Say, farver, I can't chop the sticks till muver comes 'ome. She's pinched the bloomin' 'atchet."—London Opinion.

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Small Girl—Please, Mrs. Jones, mother wants to know if she can borrow a dozen eggs. She wants to put them under a hen.

Mrs. Jones—So you have got a hen, have you, my dear? I didn't know your mother kept hens.

Small Girl—No, she doesn't; but Mrs. Smith is going to lend us a hen that is going to set, and mother thought if you'd lend us the eggs we could find the nest ourselves.—Pearson's Weekly.

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A Threat or a Promise?

John, a rather backward rustic, sat at one end of the sofa and his sweetheart at the other. Both minds were too full to carry on conversation, but at last the lady spoke:

"John, what are you thinking about?"

John awakened from his dreams, answered with a drawl, "Oh, jest the same as you are," and was surprised to get the report:

"If you do I'll slap you!"—Ladies' Home Journal.

A Strict Sense of Duty

The touring car had turned upside down, burying the motorist under it, but the village constable was not to be thus lightly turned from his duty.

"It's no use you hiding there," he said severely. "I must have your name and address"—Exchange.

Knew He Was Honest

A man who kept a small shop was waiting on a single customer early one morning. His little boy and he were alone at the time, and the shopkeeper was obliged to go upstairs for some change. Before doing so he whispered to the little chap to watch the customer to see that he didn't steal anything.

Very soon the proprietor returned with the necessary change and the boy sang out, "He didn't steal anything, papa; I watched him!"

Rats

In America it is estimated that the number of rats is nearly equal to the population, but they are not nearly as dangerous or destructive as the rats found in many of the foreign countries and are more easily exterminated. It is estimated by Professor Elliott that there are 40,000,000 rats in the British Isles. India's population is outnumbered by rats to the extent of four rats to each human being.

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He Escaped

He was standing at the counter of a gun store waiting for a clerk when an acquaintance came in. He was one of those communicative acquaintances who catch the victims by the button-hole and talk and talk and say things over and over. Presently the clerk came up.

"Do you keep the Maxim silencer?" asked the waiting man.

"Yes, sir."

"Is it any good—will it stop the noise?"

"It will."

"Have you one for a large bore?"

"We have them for all sizes."

"Will they work on a repeater?"

"They'll work on anything."

"Then put one on Bill here and charge it to me."

And in the moment of mystified silence that followed, the rude man made his escape.—Indianapolis News.

If you want to forget your troubles get a pair of tight boots.—Des Moines Leader.

Bombay's Bird Market

It is a common practice in India to keep birds as pets in captivity, parrots being most popular for this purpose, but cockatoos, manas (a smaller kind of talking bird), canary birds, doves and gray headed love birds are also frequently seen in cages. The bird market in Bombay is one of the unique sights of that city, there being offered for sale there thousands of birds, chiefly from India and the east coast of Africa, especially Zanzibar.

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Well Named

"In some parts of Brazil there are birds with bills a yard long," said the tall man.

"What do they call them?" asked the short man.

"Plumber birds," replied the tall man.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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Report on Alberta Grain Crop

Reports from 139 districts, compiled by the statistical department of the Edmonton Industrial association, show that the grain crop throughout the province of Alberta will be fully 10 per cent larger than in 1913, while in central and northern Alberta there will be increases of from 18 to 25 per cent. over last year. One and a half millions of acres of land is under actual crop this year, as compared with 1,127,000 acres in 1913. The largest increases in acreage are in the northern half of the province, which, together with advanced condition of the grain, is the best indication under prevailing weather conditions, farmers say, that this season's crop will set a new mark. Ranchers in the northern districts report large increases in live stock, saying also that many cattle are being brought into the country by homesteaders from the south.

Sen. McMillan Died Sunday Eve.

Hon. Donald McMillan, senator of the Dominion of Canada, died at Alexandria, Ont., at 8:30 o'clock Sunday night, after a short illness. He was in his 80th year. Deceased, who was of Scottish ancestry, was born in the township of Lochiel, Glengarry county, on March 5, 1835. He graduated as M.D. from Victoria university, Toronto, in 1865. He was called to the senate by Lord Lansdowne in 1884. He was a Conservative in politics.

The death of Senator McMillan creates six vacancies in the senate, caused by the deaths of five senators and through the absence of another for two consecutive sessions. The senator who loses his place through absence is Senator McDonald of British Columbia. The places vacated by death are those of Sir George Ross, Senator George A. Cox, Senator Thomas Coffey, Senator Wm. Gibson and Senator McMillan.

Wrecked Ship Shifts

Ottawa, July 25.—The marine department has been advised that the Empress of Ireland is shifting her position a little at the bottom of the St. Lawrence and is canting back from the original position on her side, to a more even keel. This is bringing the tops of the masts to within 35 feet of the surface at low tide, thus endangering navigation. The department will arrange for the dynamiting of the masts so as to remove all danger to navigation. If the present process of shifting of the wreck is continued it may be that the easier access thus allowed to the divers will result in enabling the company to continue salvage operations with much greater success.

Excellent Quality of Mica

Thirty tons of commercial mica, taken out of claims on Mica mountain, near Tete Jaune, on the main line of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, west of Edmonton, is on the way to Montreal. The mica is of excellent quality. Samples from the vein now under development took first prizes at Paris, 1900; Glasgow, 1902; and St. Louis, 1904. The claims, which were originally staked by J. M. Victor, a rancher of Kamloops, B. C., are being worked by T. W. Winter of Moncton, N. B. They are located about a thousand feet above the railroad grade. Thirty men are at work developing the property. A wagon road is being built from the railroad to the claims and when this is completed a motor truck will be put into commission to bring the mica to the shipping platform. Winter, who has held the claims since 1899, says the development of Mica mountain claims will mean new industries for the western country.

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Seasonable Hints

Don't forget to provide shelter in the pasture field for all the stock. It doesn't cost anything except a little time to put up a rough shed with a few poles, covering it with brush and, if possible, a load or so of rough hay or straw.

Try and put yourself in the place of the animals when you consider the question of shelter. When you want a rest on a hot day you don't go and sit or lie down in the sun. You'll go to the nearest tree, or if nothing else is better, in the shade of a fence post or telegraph pole. The horses you are working will appreciate the shade just as much as you do. It will rest them a little to stop, no doubt, but they can't be expected to cool off when the temperature in the sun is around 100 degrees. When you stop the team for a rest, try and stop them in the shade. It will be surprising what a difference attention to this detail will make in the work obtained from a team on a hot day.

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Poachers who poisoned the River Roe at Limavady, Ireland, and thus made a haul of between 100 and 300 salmon, had to abandon a portion of their booty. Fifty or sixty fine fish afterwards seen floating dead were recovered by persons who retailed them at 12 cents per fish, or about 2 cents per pound.

Descendant's Memorial

In the Parish Church, Torphichen, a memorial brass has been unveiled to the memory of the Rev. John Bonar, M. A., who was minister of the parish from 1692 to 1747, a period of over fifty-four years. The memorial has been erected by his great, great, great, grandson, Mr. Horatius Bonar, of Edinburgh.

Willful Destruction of Sign Posts

At a meeting of the Western District Committee of Stirling County Council attention was called to the number of motor signposts that were maliciously destroyed. The suggestion was made that these could be of malleable iron, which could resist stone-throwing.

Letter's Two-Year Journey

A letter addressed two years ago from Belfast to a ship's officer at Huelva, Spain, was re-despatched from that place to Savannah, and was then sent on to various seaports on the American Continent. Subsequently it was delivered in Belfast through the Dead Letter Office, marked, "Not to be found." Meanwhile, the officer had been shipwrecked, and had been to Belfast to attend an official inquiry.

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